

DETAILED ACTION

1. This office action is responsive to communication filed on May 25, 2010.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Catherine M. Voisinet (Reg. 52,327) on May 27, 2010.

The claims are amended as follows:

Claim 4, page 3

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at line ~~4~~¹⁵ delete "devices;" and insert --device;--

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3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:
4. Consider claim 4, the prior art of record does not teach nor reasonably suggest, as a whole, an image sending and receiving system, comprising an image sending apparatus which comprises an image capturing device which captures an image, a recording device which records the captured image on a recording medium, an image selecting device which selects a desired image of images recorded on the recording medium, a first communication device which has a first communication mode for